## Memorandum

Date: August 12, 2005

To

: Mr. Ramon J. Hirsia

**Executive Director** 

From

: David J. Gau, Deputy Direct

Property and Special Taxes Department

Subject : 2005-06 Emergency Telephone Users Surcharge Rate

(August 31, 2005 Administrative Consent Calendar)

In accordance with sections 41030, 41031, and 41032 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, the Department of General Services (DGS) annually determines and notifies the Board of the surcharge rate estimated to produce sufficient revenue to fund the current year's 911 costs. Once the rate is fixed by the Board and published in its minutes, registered service suppliers are notified that the rate applies to charges for intrastate telephone communication services made on or after November 1.

Attached is the July 29, 2005 notification from DGS. It has determined that based on revenue projections and anticipated expenditures for the 2005-06 fiscal year, the current surcharge rate of .65 percent should be continued. I recommend your concurrence with the continuation of the .65 surcharge rate for the period November 1, 2005 to October 31, 2006.

Please place this item on the Board's August 31, 2005 Administrative Consent Calendar for approval.

DJG:sjb **Attachment** 

cc: Ms. Deborah Pellegrini Mr. Dennis P. Maciel

Approved:

Ramon J. Hirsig **Executive** Director

**BOARD APPROVED** 

At the **Board Meeting** 

Deborah Pellegrini, Chief **Board Proceedings Division**